



Yvonne J. Johnson
Mayor Pro Tem
City of Greensboro



Mayor Pro Tem Johnson believes that decisions should be based on what is in the best interest of all people. She seeks a collaborative approach to problem solving that mobilizes people from many areas to address issues that affect all citizens.

"Adequate housing, accessible transportation, a safe environment, a safe water supply and economic development and vitality are important to all of us. As Mayor Pro Tem, I am proud that the Greensboro City Council led the way for a long-range comprehensive plan. The County and the City need to work on issues that affect all of our citizens; this way, we can begin planning solutions based on need and common sense."

CIVIC INVOLVEMENT

City Council Member, 1993-present
City Council Member, At Large, 1993-1999
1999, became Mayor Pro Tem
Council Liaison to the following:
Hope VI (Willow Oaks)
Greensboro Housing Development Partnership
South Elm/Lee Street Development Project
Executive Board, Malachi House
Board of Women's Resource Center, President - Emeritis
Board of Trustees, Bennett College

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT

One Step Further
• Executive Director, 1983-present
Bennett College
• Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, 1964
NC A&T University
• Master of Science,
Guidance and Counseling, 1978

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Served on the Justice Fellowship Task Force to
re-write sentencing laws of NC, 1993
Chosen as African American Women of Distinction,
1993, African American Atelier
Helped found Summit House, a residential facility for
women who have young children or are pregnant, as
an alternative to sentencing
Served on task force that brought Delancey Street
(a rehabilitation program for offenders run by
offenders) to Greensboro
Facilitator of racism workshops for Episcopal Diocese
National Alumnae Achievement Award, 2003
Bennett College

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Born: October 26, 1942
Hometown: Greensboro, NC
Married: Walter T. Johnson, Jr.
Children: Two sons, two daughters
Grandchildren: Five grandchildren
Church: Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit

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